## **U.S. District Court** District of Columbia (Washington, DC) CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-02847-TFH

REPORTERS COMMITTEE FOR FREEDOM OF THE PRESS Date Filed: 09/23/2019 v. UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE et al

Assigned to: Judge Thomas F. Hogan

Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Jury Demand: None

Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of

**Information Act** 

Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff** 

REPORTERS COMMITTEE FOR FREEDOM OF THE PRESS

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**Defendant** 

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT **OF JUSTICE** 

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**Defendant** 

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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**Defendant** 

**EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS** 

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| 09/23/2019 | 1 | COMPLAINT against EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090–6393289) filed by REPORTERS COMMITTEE FOR FREEDOM OF THE PRESS. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit 2, # 3 Exhibit 3, # 4 Exhibit 4, # 5 Exhibit 5, # 6 Exhibit 6, # 7 Exhibit 7, # 8 Exhibit 8, # 9 Exhibit 9, # 10 Civil Cover Sheet, # 11 Summons)(Townsend, KatieLynn) (Entered: 09/23/2019) |

| 09/25/2019 |          | Case Assigned to Judge Thomas F. Hogan. (zeg) (Entered: 09/25/2019)  |
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| 09/25/2019 | <u>2</u> | SUMMONS (5) Issued Electronically as to EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachment: # 1 Notice and Consent)(zeg) (Entered: 09/25/2019)  |
| 10/07/2019 | 3        | RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS served on 10/3/2019; FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION served on 10/1/2019; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE served on 10/3/2019, RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 10/3/2019. (Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 11/2/2019.), RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 10/03/19. (Attachments: # 1 Affidavits of Mailing)(Townsend, KatieLynn) (Entered: 10/07/2019) |
| 10/09/2019 | <u>4</u> | NOTICE of Appearance by Katherine Boyd Palmer–Ball on behalf of All Defendants (Palmer–Ball, Katherine) (Entered: 10/09/2019)  |
| 10/31/2019 | <u>5</u> | Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Respond</i> by EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Palmer–Ball, Katherine) (Entered: 10/31/2019)   |
| 11/04/2019 |          | MINUTE ORDER granting 5 Consent Motion for Extension of Time to Respond. Accordingly, the defendants' response to the plaintiff's complaint shall be filed on or before November 12, 2019. Signed by Judge Thomas F. Hogan on November 4, 2019. (JK) (Entered: 11/04/2019)   |
| 11/04/2019 |          | Set/Reset Deadlines: Answer due by 11/12/2019. (JK) (Entered: 11/04/2019)  |
| 11/12/2019 | <u>6</u> | Consent MOTION for Extension of Time to <i>Respond</i> by EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (Attachments: # 1 Text of Proposed Order)(Palmer–Ball, Katherine) (Entered: 11/12/2019)   |
| 11/15/2019 | 7        | ANSWER to Complaint by EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.(Palmer–Ball, Katherine) (Entered: 11/15/2019)   |
| 11/15/2019 |          | MINUTE ORDER granting <u>6</u> Consent Motion for Extension of Time to Respond. Accordingly, the defendants response to the complaint shall be filed on or before November 15, 2019. Signed by Judge Thomas F. Hogan on November 15, 2019. (JK) (Entered: 11/15/2019)  |